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SUBJECT: GOI REQUESTS ASSISTANCE IN CONTACTING U.S. FIRM

1. GOI STATE ORGANIZATION FOR SOILS AND LAND RECLMATION (SOSLR) HAS REQUESTED USINT'S ASSISTANCE IN CONTACTING U.S. FIRM: OPICO, P.O. BOX 849, 154 ST. LOUIS STREET, MIBILE, ALABAMA 36601, TELEX: 505462 OPICO. FIRM IS REPORTED TO BE AN EXPORTER OF AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT. DESPITE REPEATED ATTEMPTS, SOSLR HAS BEEN UNABLE TO CONTACT OPICO.

2. SOSLR WISHES TO INVITE OPICO TO BID ON A STUDY OF SAND DUNE FIXATION AND RECLAMATION USING PETROLEUM BASED CHEMICALS. PROJECT CONSISTS OF RESEARCHING PAST FIXATION PROJECTS IN IRAQ AND ABROAD AND FORMULATION OF PROPOSALS FOR A 2500 HECTARE PILOT PROJECT IN SOUTH CENTRAL IRAQ. SECOND STAGE OF PRJECT WOULD CONSIST OF CONSTRUCTION SUPERVISION ON PILOT PROJECT AND THIRD STAGE EVALUATION OF CROP RESULTS FOR A THREE YEAR PERIOD. TRAINING OF IRAQI PERSONNEL WOULD ACCOMPANY EACH PHASE.

3. SOSLR WISHES TO RECEIVE EXPRESSION OF INTEREST NOT LATER THAN AUGUST 15, REPEAT 15.

4. ON SEVERAL PAST OCCASIONS, GOI ORGANIZATIONS HAVE
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REQUESTED OUR ASSISTANCE IN CONTACTING FIRMS ONLY TO LEARN THAT FIRM IN QUESTION IS NOT ENGAGED IN ACTIVITY REQUESTED. IF USDOC DETERMINES THAT OPICO IS NOT INTERESTED IN THIS PROJECT, POST WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING NAMES/ ADDRESSES/TELEX NUMBERS OF OTHER U.S. FIRMS. WE HAVE CONTACTED DAMES AND MOORE OF CRANFORD, NJ, DIRECTLY.

5. SOSLR'S ADDRESS IS: P.O. BOX 6061 MANSOUR, BAGHDAD,
IRAQ; TELEPHONE: 555-0400; CABLE ADDRESS: SOSLR, BAGHDAD.
ITS OFFICES ARE LOCATED IN THE ABU GHRAIB DISTRICT OF BAGHDAD.
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